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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 USC 371 Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US), mailed May 24, 2007, Applicants submit herewith an inventors' declaration.

A copy of the Notice is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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